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CHAPTER 150.

An act to provide a Revenue for the support of the Government of this state. Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, The County levies the levy courts of the several counties within this state, are hereby directed and required to levy on the assessable property within their respective counties, clear of the expense of collection, severally as fol lows; on Saint Mary's county, the sum of one thousand six hundred and eighty six dollars; on Kent county, the sum of one thousand se ven hundred and ninety nine dollars; on Anne Arundel county, the sum of four thousand one hundred and eighty five dollars; on Calver county, the sum of one thousand and twenty eight dollars; on Charles county, the sum of two thousand eight hundred and seventy six dol. lars; on Baltimore county, the sum of fifteen thousand three hundres and nine dollars; on Talbot county, the sum of one thousand seven hundred and sixty six dollars; on Somerset county, the sum of two thousand three hundred and sixty four dollars; on Dorchester country the sum of two thousand three hundred and fifty one dollars; on Co. cil county, the sum of two thousand five hundred and thirty nin dollars; on Prince George's county, the sum of three thousand two hundred and eighty one dollars; on Queen Ann's county, the sum of two thousand four hundred and two dollars; on Worcester county, the sum of two thousand and ninety five dollars; on Frederick county, the sum of six thousand seven hundred and ninety seven dollers; on Harford county, the sum of two thousand two hundred and eight. three dollars; on Caroline county, the sum of nine hundred and sixty dollars; on Washington county, the sum of three thousand six hundred and forty four dollars; on Montgomery county, the sum of two thousand one hundred and eighty dollars; on Allegany county, the sum of one thousand and twelve dollars; which said amount or sum shall be collected in the same manner and by the same collector or collectors as county charges are collected; the levy courts respectively taking additional bond and security from their collectors for the faithful payment and accountability for the monies to be collected under this act.

Collectors to pay.

2. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of such collector to pay into the treasury of the eastern or western shores, as the case may be the sum so as aforesaid to be by them collected, on or before the first day of December next.

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3. And be it enacted, That in all cases where any collector shall have collected any sum or sums of money for the use of the state and shall neglect to pay over the same to the treasurer of the eastern or western shores as the case may be, at the time appointed by this law for the payment thereof, it shall and may be lawful, and the several county courts of this state are hereby required, upon motion made on behalf of the state, to order a judgment to be entered, and an immediate execution to issue thereon against the person or property of such collector, to levy and compel the payment of such sum of money so due and payable; Provided, that ten days previous notice of such intended motion be delivered in writing to such collector or left at his place of abode, and proof thereof be made to the satisfaction of such court to which such application shall be made, And provided also, if such collector shall in person or by attorney, desire a jury to be impannelled to ascertain the sum in his hands so due and payable, the said court shall direct a jury to be immediately charged to try and ascertain between the state and the said party, whether the said collector is chargeable with, and liable to pay and

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